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SUBJECT: TEXTILE MACHINERY OPPORTUNITIES

REF: STATE 213598 AND LA PAZ A-124

1. COMITE DE OBRAS PUBLICAS DE SANTA CRUZ. PROJECT PENDING. EXPECT BID PACKAGE TO BE RELEASED WITHIN 60 DAYS. WILL BE SUBMITTED AS TRADE OPPORTUNITY.

2. CINTATEX. SIZE AND VALUE OF INVESTMENT HAS BEEN REDUCED. THE SPINNING MILL CAPACITY WILL BE 50 KILOS PER 8 HOUR DAY. INVESTMENT NOW SET AT US\$200,000. PROJECT PENDING. LA PAZ AIRGRAM A-124, JUNE 21, 1974 REQUESTED IDISTRIBUTION AS TRADE OPPORTUNITIES OF THIS PROJECT. AS OF THIS DATE, NO US COMPANY HAS OFFERED EQUIPMENT.

3. INDUSTRIAS SILESIA. PROJECT PENDING. HAS RECEIVED QUOTATIONS FROM US FIRMS. IS DISSATISFIED WITH THE INABILITY OF US FIRMS TO ARRANGE CREDIT.

4. LANIFICIO BOLIVIANO DOMINGO SOLIGNO, S.A. PROJECT PENDING. AWAITING CREDIT APPROVAL FROM BOLIVIAN CENTRAL BANK. HAS RECEIVED PRICE QUOTATION FROM US COMPANIES.

5. HILADOS Y TEJIDOS SANTA CRUZ, S.A. PROJECT PENDING. HAS RECEIVED PRICE QUOTATIONS FROM US AND WESTERN EUROPEAN COMPANIES. COMPANY PRESIDENT ADVISED THAT THE COST

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OF AMATEX AND U.K. EQUIPMENT IS VERY HIGH. A COMPANY

OFFICIAL IS NOW IN EASTERN EUROPE INVESTIGATING OTHER SOURCES OF EQUIPMENT.

6. MANUFACTURAS TEXTILES FORNO, S.A. PROJECT PENDING. HAS RECEIVED A QUOTATION FROM SACO-LOWELL.

7. INBOLSA, LTDA. PROJECT PENDING. US COMPANIES HAVE NOT SUBMITTED QUOTATIONS.

8. HILANDERIA DE FABRA ACRILICA. PROJECT PENDING. US COMPANIES HAVE NOT SUBMITTED QUOTATIONS.

9. IMPLABOL LTD. PROJECT PENDING. PURCHASING DECISION IS EXPECTED NOV/DEC. US COMPANIES HAVE NOT SUBMITTED QUOTATIONS.

10. TEXTILES ASOCIADOS, S.A. PROJECT PENDING. MR. JOSE ASBUN PLANS TO VISIT THE SOUTH CAROLINA TEXTILE EXHIBITION, "ITEX'74", OCT. 21-25. WILL DISCUSS HIS REQUIREMENTS AND MAKE THE PURCHASING DECISION AT THE EXHIBITION.

11. SOCOEDAD NACIONAL TEXTIL, S.A. PROJECT PENDING. HAVE RECEIVED QUOTATIONS FROM US FIRMS. PURCHASING DECISION TO BE MADE BY DEC., 1974.

12. MACUBOL. PROJECT PENDING. HAVE RECEIVED QUOTATIONS FROM TWO US FIRMS. IS AWAITING ADDITIONAL OFFERS FROM THE US AND EUROPEAN COMPANIES.

13. RIBSA LTDA. PROJECT PENDING. NOW IN FINAL NEGOTIATION WITH A US FIRM. AWAITING REVISED PROFORM INVOICE.

14. ADDITIONAL PROJECTS. (A) COMPLETE COTTON DYEING AND FINISHING MACHINES HAVING A CAPACITY OF 200-400 KG. PER HOUR AND 10-20 METERS PER MINUTE BY: DIRECCION GENERAL DE NORMAS Y TECNOLOGIA, MINISTERIO DE INDUSTRIA, COMERCIO Y TURISMO, CASILLA 4430, LA PAZ, UNCLASSIFIED

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BOLIVIA, ATTN: MR. ORLANDO DONOSO.
(B) LINEAL LOOMS AND DYEING EQUIPMENT HAVING AN INVESTMENT VALUE OF US\$200,000. REQUIRED BY:
ASOCIACION DE PEQUENOS INDUSTRIALES TEXTILES, CASILLA 3350, LA PAZ, BOLIVIA, ATTN: MR. JOSE SANDOVAL GUZMAN.
THIS ASSOCIATION HAS HIRED A CONSULTANT TO PERFORM A FEASIBILITY STUDY ON ESTABLISHING A COTTON SPINNING MILL. STUDY TO BEGIN EARLY 1975. ESTIMATED INVESTMENT IS US\$1,000,000

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PLEASE ARRANGE TO DISTRIBUTE THESE NEW TRADE
OPPORTUNITIES TO INTERESTED FIRMS.
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